

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please amend the first paragraph (page 1, lines 1-4) of the specification as indicated below:

The present invention relates to a method for repayment of the investment costs of an elevator on the basis of personal identification of a passenger wanting to enter the elevator, by providing the aforesaid passenger with a card comprising the personal data of the aforesaid passenger, on the basis of which card a remote reader installed in connection with the elevator identifies the passenger~~method as defined in the preamble of claim 1 for repayment of elevator investment costs on the basis of passenger identification.~~

Please amend the eighth paragraph (page 2, lines 20-24) of the specification as indicated below:

In precise terms, the method of the invention for repayment of elevator investment costs on the basis of personal identification of the passenger is characterized by each passenger of an elevator being charged via intelligent card for using the elevator on the basis of the number of times of use in such manner that the investment costs of the aforesaid elevator are repaid.~~what is presented in the characterization part of claim 1.~~